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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir,

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 04/29/2005, in which: (1) claims 1-6 and 8-22 were rejected under 35 USC 112 second paragraph; (2) claims 1, 4-5, and 8 were rejected under 35 USC 102(b) as anticipated by Masuda; (3) claims 6, 14-16, and 19 were rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as unpatentable over Masuda in view of Gotoda; (4) claims 2-3, 9-13, and 17 were rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as unpatentable over Masuda in view of Gotoda and Kajitani; and (5) claims 18, and 20-22 were indicated as allowable if rewritten to overcome the 112 rejection and to include the limitations of their parent claims. Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing which begins on page 3 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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